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THE MARYLAND ELECTION

Interesting Doings in the Oriole City—
Old Baltimore Boys—Return to His
Native Heath—Local News Notes

Baltimore, Md., Special:—The political battle is over for the present. Usually when the returns have come in and it is determined by the counting of the votes, that one side or the other has won or lost, the public is satisfied and the voters are congratulated while the vanquished is given "a little hot air" and advised to "try, try again." But no such Maryland, if there is any fact universally known as the result of the election it is this: that the State of Maryland (if twenty thousand ballots had not been illegally thrown out) was carried by the Republicans by 15,000 to 20,000 majority and that no more in-famous subversion of the will of the people have ever been perpetrated than in the election with which its falsified returns based upon perjury and fraud, gives the Democrats a majority in the legislature which will send a Democrat to the United States Senate with credentials more tainted than those of Senator Clark of Montana, less worthy than Quay of Pennsylvania, both of whom were excluded from the Senate. Happily Baltimore City where the count was in a measure fair, the Republic carried day and with the exception of the sheriff and probably the members of the legislature out of ninety, the Democrats did not elect a candidate. If the Democratic party can gather any consolation either for the present or future from the election, they are most certainly welcome to it.

At Madison St. Presbyterian Church on Tuesday afternoon last, the infant daughter of Hon. Harry L. and Blanche T. Cummings was christened. Hereafter she will be known as Lucille Theresa Cummings. Mrs. Dr. Wm. H. Waver stood as Godmother and Mr. W. H. J. Wheeler as Godfather. Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hadwell of Washington and Mr. J. B. Parker came from Washington to the christening.

The Industrial Home for Colored Girls at Melvale celebrated its anniversary last week. Mr. Goldborough Griffith, the ardent philanthropist is at the head of the institution which is doing a great work among the incorrigible females. Rev. J. H. Collett is the colored trustee appointed by the state to represent its interests.

Mr. Augustus Conklin will be in charge of the Maryland Building at the Charleston Exposition.

The Kindergarten will be opened by the School Board on January 1st.

Lawyer Harry L. Cummings was the guest of the Grand Jury upon its visit to Charleston: the Colored House of Reformation Tuesday last.

Mr. Peter Armstead who is as popular in Baltimore his native home as well as Boston his adopted home, was welcomed in the city by his many friends last week. He is the same well dressed stylish gentleman as "of old" and his many friends are proud of the good record made by him and his brother Councilman Edward Armstead in Boston.

Mr. Wallace Smith, a very popular young Baltimorean has opened the

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MEN OF THE HOUR.



PROF. ROBT. H. TERRELL.
Principal of the High School



MR. E. M. HEWLETT.
Attorney-at-Law.

OUR TWO MAGISTRATES

Prof. Robert H. Terrell and Lawyer E. M. Hewlett selected by President Roosevelt as Judges for the District.

Emanuel M. Hewlett, Esq., is the son of the late Prof. A. M. Hewlett, of Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. He was educated at the old Cambridge High School and the famous Causney Hall school of Boston, being the first colored man to enter that institution. He then entered the Boston University Law School from which he graduated in 1877. He began the practice law in Boston, Mass., and removed to Washington in 1880 where he has been engaged in the practice of his profession ever since. He was admitted to the bar of the United States Court of Claims in October 1883 and in November 1883, on motion of Judge Jere M. Wilson, was admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States. He was appointed a Justice of the Peace by President Harrison in July 1890, and has been re-appointed by every President since. He has from the start been one of the most prominent colored lawyers in the country. He has appeared with success in many very important murder cases in the District. Mr. Hewlett has appeared before the Supreme Court of the United States in seven or eight very important cases. He appeared in the case of Duncan vs. State of Missouri, with Mr. Walter F. Farmer another colored attorney, also with Cornelius J. Jones, Esq., in the cases of Smith vs. State of Mississippi and Gibson vs. State of Mississippi. He and Wilford H. Smith, Esq., were the first colored lawyers to win a case in the Supreme Court. The case of Smith Carter vs. State Texas was decided in their favor on the 16th of April 1900.

PROF. ROBERT H. TERRELL

Prof. Robert H. Terrell was born in Orange County, Va., in 1857. He graduated from Harvard College in the class of 1884 with a degree cum laude. He won the distinction of being the first colored man to represent his class at Harvard as a commencement speaker. In September, 1884, he was appointed a teacher in the Colored High School of this city, where he remained until he was made a chief of division in the United States Treasury, during the administration of President Harrison. In the meantime, he studied law at the Howard University Law School, from which he graduated as valedictorian of his class. On leaving the Treasury Department, July, 1893, Mr. Terrell became the law partner of John R. Lynch. Mr. Terrell was re-appointed a teacher in the Colored High School, November, 1898, and made its principal, May, 1899. Mr. Terrell was not an applicant for the position which has come to him. He was strongly commended by Booker Washington.